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Sir:

In response to the written Restriction Requirement dated March 1, 2010, the applicants hereby elect to prosecute the Group I claims, *i.e.* claims 1, 3-5, and 7-10, drawn to Molt Accelerating and Chitin Synthesis Inhibitors Compounds and Methods. The applicants further elect methoxyfenozide as the species for the molt accelerator compound and noviflumuron as the species for the chitin synthesis inhibitor compound.

The applicants respectfully submit claims 1, 3-5, and 7-10 to be generic and that these claims encompass the elected invention.

The applicants appreciate that this election of species has been required for the purposes of facilitating the search and expediting prosecution. Accordingly, the applicants respectfully submit that, upon an indication of allowable subject matter, the scope of the claims should not be limited to the elected species.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 as required by this paper to Deposit Account 19-0065.

Respectfully submitted,



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